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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3700**  
Kazushi HIGASHI et al. : Docket No. 2001\_0055  
Serial No. 09/768,246 : Group Art Unit 2811  
Filed January 25, 2001 : Examiner N. Parekh  
METHOD OF FORMING A BALL  
BOND USING A BONDING CAPILLARY : **Mail Stop: Amendment**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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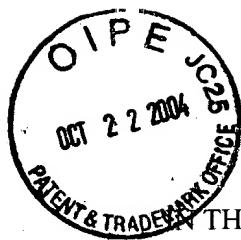
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Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of April 22, 2004.

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( ) Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
( ) is enclosed.  
( ) has been previously submitted.

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